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Under the Tunney Act, I wish to comment on the proposed Microsoft settlement.

Briefly, I feel the proposed settlement is a bad idea. I agree with the problems identified in Dan Kegel's analysis. This analysis is available at the following URL:  
<http://www.kegel.com/remedy/remedy2.html>

I also agree with the conclusion reached by Kegel's document.  
Specifically:

- The Proposed Final Judgment as written allows and encourages significant anticompetitive practices to continue.
- The settlement would delay the emergence of competing Windows-compatible operating systems.

Therefore, the settlement not in the public interest. It should not be adopted without substantial revision to address these problems.

Sincerely,  
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